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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF: Otto MACHHAMMER, et al.

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HETEROGENEOUSLY CATALYZED PARTIAL DIRECT OXIDATION OF PROPANE AND/OR

REQUEST FOR ORAL HEARING

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

SIR:

Applicant's representative hereby respectfully requests that an Oral Hearing be scheduled in the above-identified application.

A credit card payment in the amount of \$1,030.00 to cover the fee is being made and any further charges may be made against the Attorney of Record's Deposit Account No. <u>15-0030</u>.

Respectfully Submitted,

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